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The Director of Central Intelligence

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

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Acting Director, Office of Information Technology
CIA Headquarters - 2D00

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FROM:

[redacted]
Executive Secretary, Executive Steering Group
for Exploitation of Overt Information

SUBJECT:

Exploitation of Open Source Information
Report of the Open Source Action Group

1. With great satisfaction, we are forwarding to you a personal copy of the report of the Open Source Action Group to the Executive Steering Group on the Exploitation of Open Source Information.

2. We have sent this report to you because of its relevance to several of the activities of OIT as well as those of DDI/ASG which you are supporting. Members of your office have been interested in better exploitation of open source information and the work of the Action Group and its Committees throughout much of 1985. You will note in the preface to the report that the Executive Steering Group accepted and forwarded the report to the Director and that Mr. John N. McMahon, then Acting Director, approved the report. In the meantime, the implementation steps are being undertaken.

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3. Copies of the report are being sent to [redacted]
[redacted] We welcome additional suggestions for the distribution of the report to interested persons and offices.

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